The Suit Sale

\$17 and \$20 Suits. \$12.75 \$22.50 and \$16.75 \$25 Suits. . \$16.75

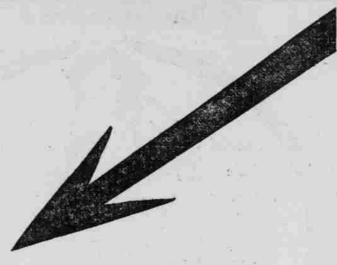
\$30 Suits. \$21.75

The Shirt Sale

\$1.00	Shirts	now 85c
		now\$1.15
		now. 1.35
		now. 1.85
3.00	Shirts	now 2.25

The Shoe Sale

\$4.00	Shoes\$2.95	
	Shoes 3.45	
5.00	Shoes 3.95	
	Shoes 4.45	
	Shoes 4.95	



The Underwear Sale

			~~~
\$1.00	Union	Suits.	. 85c
		Suits.	
2.00	Union	Suits.	1.35
2.50	Union	Suits.	1.85
3.00	Union	Suits	2.25

Straw Hats Half Price! Wash Neckwear

Half Price!



# A SENSATIONAL FILM.

Shadows of the Night Will Be Shown at the Novelty.

"The Gangsters," or "The Shadows of the Night," a sensational three-reel detective feature photo-play will be shown at the Novelty today and tomorrow. The sensationalism of this picture promises to be the best of its kind that has ever been presented in Topeka. A chase in autos, elevators, railroad trains, and other startling events will be shown on the screen. Another sensutional feature is the air ship racing to reach a steamer in midocean. The price of admission will be

## EDITORS IN A RUT.

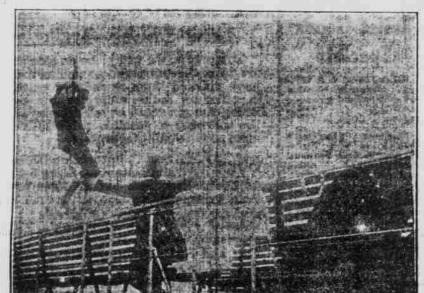
Professor Flint Says and He Plans to Get Them Out.

Washington, D. C., L. N. Flint, assistant professor of Journalism at the University of Kapsas is studying eastern newspaper methods, in an effort to invigorate Kansas journalism by placing the newspapers of that state on a more prosperous business hads. He hopes prosperous business basis. He hopes not only to improve the character of the papers, but furnish a field at home for the graduates of the school of journalism of the university. Mr. Flint is in Washington and will remain here several days.

"Many Kansas editors have fallen into a rut," said Mr. Flint to the State Journal correspondent. They have been content to jog along and make a bare living. It is the purpose of the school of journalism to show these editors how they can increase their receipts by improved business methods and by reaching out for advertising which they could get if they went after it. In this way we plan-to improve the papers.

"More business will mean more mon for improved equipment and the employment of more men.

The students now get out a four-page daily, and the work of the school



That Descended Upon "A Shadow of the Night" at the Novelty Friday and Saturday.

The state charter board has granted twenty-two charters, several of them being amendments and increases of capital stock. For the first time in three months were granted to farmers' coperative companies. The following char-

ters were granted:

Monarch Cement company, Humboldt;

2.60,60, by William A. Fair, Hutchinson;
W. H. Mavity, Tonkawa, Okia; R. H.
Smith, Kingman; Miller Dobbin, Henry
Ents, J. T. Giles, S. F. Helena, A. T.
Rodgers, Robert Linfor, Wichita; W. J.
W. Kennedy, Fayetteville, Ark., and J. C.
Pierce, Wichita.

The Salina Poultry company, Salina,
capital stock \$7,000; by R. G. Sabin, Salina;
capital stock \$7,000; by R. G. Sabin, Salina;
f. Fishback, Beatrice, Neb.; F. Browerigg, Solomon; E. C. Fishback, Beatrice;
M. N. Sabin, Salina.

Topeka, Hardware company, Topeka.

Topeka Hardware company, Topeka. Capital, \$25,000, by Henry A. Wilkinson, Benjamin F. Wilkinson, Fannie M. Wilkinson, of Topeka; Norman E. Wilkinson and Clara A. Wilkinson, of Netawaka, Kan.

"The students now get out a fourpage dally, and the work of the school
is progressing satisfactorily. We have
110 students this year. We have 14
courses of newspaper work, from reporting to problems of policy. The extension work among the editors is
meeting with great favor."

Mr. Flint plans to spend three weeks
in New York city studying the business and news-gathering methods of
the big dailies, in order to develop a
course of comparative journalism.

The school of journalism of the Kansas university, under the management
of Merle Thorpe, of the state of Washington and this city, has already won
much favor among the newspapers of
the country. Mr. Thorpe is considered
one of the brightest lights in the schooling of young men in journalistic work.

"A palmist is like a tramp." "How so?"
"He's usually looking for a 'hand out."

"Boston Transcript."

Ind Clara A. Wilkinson, of Netawaka,
Kan.
Farmers' Union Grain Dealers' association, Domor. Capital stock, \$5.500, by A.
W. Hibbits, George Loeffier, W. Luckinblill, Medare Simonean, Felix Brin.
The University Townsite company, Kansas City, Kan., \$25.000, by Willard Merrlam, W. A. Simpson, A. L. Cook, L. W.
Weblinger, of Kansas City, Kan.; F. T.
Woodburn, Holton.
The People's Stove company, Arkansas
(ity, Kan., \$15.000, by J. L. Morrison.
David Laird, Mrs. David Laird, of Arkaingas City, E. T. Blodgett and Leonard
Tarp. of Wichita.
Glard Hospital, a training school for
nurses, Girard, \$1.000, by Mrs. A. C.
Wright, Dr. Dwight C. Smith, Dr. Shedon
Wilcox, Myrtle Youngberg, J. W. Faubion,
J. A. Meyer, of Anthony.
Benedictine Fathers of Wichita diocese.
Frontenac, no capital stock; not organized
for profit, but to carry on educational, befrontenac, no capital stock; not organized
for profit, but to carry on educational, befrontenac, no capital stock; prove the company, and claired hospital.

In Color of the San.

The University Townsite company, Arkansas
City, Kan., \$25,000, by Willard Merriam. W. A. Simpson, A. L. Cook, L. W.
Woodburn, Holt

Barconcetti, Raphael Pierogostini, of Frontenac; John D. Schneider and Leo J. McKenna. of Pittsburg.
Rising Star Lodge No. 325, I. O. O. F., St. Francis, no capital stock. Incorporated by E. D. Nixon, W. E. Bear, A. A. Reinhold, G. E. Williams and H. B. Bear, trustees, all of St. Francis.

Western Lithograph company, of Wichita, increase capital stock from \$50,000 to \$85,000.

Southwestern Broom and Warehouse

Citizens' State bank of Sabetha, increase Kan.

Citizens' State bank of Sabetha, increase of number of directors from five to six. Home State bank of Tipton, increase number of directors from seven to ten. Farmers' Grain and Live Stock company, Blue Rapids, \$19,990, by John Frost, James Buchan, Albert Fritz, George Fritz, Join Fritz, Jr., of Marysville; George E. Miller, B. E. Gibson, A. W. Gibson, of Blue Rapids; C. H. Garrett, H. E. Youngberg, of Waterville; Rudolph Vopata, of Irving; O. E. Reed, George Gallup, Emil Shalbo, Alva Striker, George Shalbo, E. A. anderson, Samuel Fritch, T. A. Shabo, Frank Chalupski, of Blue Rapids; \$19,000 capital stock.

SUMMER TERM ENDS.

Picken's Services at Hays Station Are Completed.

Hays, Kan., July 25 .- The closing exercises of the summer term of the Western State Normal school were held Thursday. The day was of especial significance because it marked the retirement of Principal W. S. Picken. He came to Hays as the first head of the school in 1902. Since that time he has seen the school grow from small beginnings to an institution with 600 students, a faculty of 21 and buildings worth \$150,000. He has the good will of the school and the community. Exercises were wholly in his favor. His successor is W. A. Lewis of the University of Utah.

No Feed for Hogs in Jewell. Jewell City, Kan., July 25.—There a change in the temperature here, it being considerably cooler, but no rain. Farmers are more worried about feed for hogs on account of the alfalfa being badly burned. J. W. Perry has 100 head and has been trying to buy corn for them. He has not given by the corn group of his place yet if it up the corn crop on his place yet if it rains soon. His fields are favorably

## LITTLE AMMUNITION.

Our Torpedo Boats Practically Useless in Case of War.

Washington, July 25.—Discovery that the torpedo boat flotilias, in case ter they had discharged 700 torpedoes, they had discharged 700 torpedoes, has aroused Representative Britten of Illinois, Republican member of the house naval affairs committee. That number of torpedoes, according to Mr. number of torpedoes, according to Mr. Britten, is the sole stock on hand in the United States navy and the two factories which manufacture the death dealing engines can turn out only a limited number each year. Mr. Brit-ten today announced his intention of

ten today announced his intention of introducing a bill appropriating \$400,-000 to double the capacity of the naval torpedo plant at Newport, R. I. The Illinois member is recently recurned from a tour of inspection of the Atlantic coast navy yards taken with his fellow members of the house committee. He declared that of the stock of 700 torpedoes many are not new and that their replacement would be a serious problem in war time bebe a serious problem in war time because of the limited capacity of the two producing plants, one of which is

a private concern.

The navy's torpedo plant at Newport, Mr. Britton said, has a capacity of only 100 torpedoes a year. The present private corporation under pressure, is capable of turning out twice that number per annum. He pointed out that any depletion of the existing stock would necessitate high pressure work by both plants to provide even a limited number of torpevide even a limited number of torpe-does for the small craft and for the torpedo tubes of the battleships and

# "BORAX" SMITH SUED.

Bankruptcy Started Against Head of \$200,000,000 Concerns.

San Francisco, July 25.—The tangled affairs of F. M. Smith, the "borax king" and head of a two hundred million dollar string of corporations, were taken into the bankruptcy court yesterday when four creditors of the financier, with claims amounting to \$155,000 filed a petition in the United States circuit court asking that Mr. Smith be declared an involuntary bankrupt.

The petition declares that prior to May 5, when a committee was appointed to act as trustees in managing Mr. Smith's affairs, he conveyed without money consideration; properties valued at \$1,000,000 to the Mercantile Trust company, to B. F. Edwards and to his wife, at a time when he was insolvent. These transfers, it is alleged

solvent. These transfers, it is alleged in the complaint constitute acts of bankruptcy.

The committee of business men which has charge of the personal affairs of Mr. Smith gave out a statement, saying the petition in bankruptcy was entirely unexpected, because when the committee took charge it was the eninion of a majority of it was the opinion of a majority of the creditors that they would be able to accomplish more than would a re-ceiver in bankruptcy.

# INDIANS WERE SLOW

But a Number of Them Finally Reached the City Jail."

d Upon "A Shadow of the Night" at riday and Saturday.

Barconcetti, Raphael Picrogostini, of Frontenac, John D. Schneider and Leo J. McKenna. of Pitisburg.

Rising Star Lodge No. 325, I. O. O. F., St. Francis, no capital stock, Incorporated by E. D. Nixon, W. E. Bear, A. A. Reinhold, G. F. Williams and H. B. Bear, trustees, all of St. Francis.

Western Lithograph company, of Wichita, increase capital stock from \$55,000.

Southwestern Broom and Warehouse company, Wichita, Increase capital stock from \$55,000.

Southwestern Broom and Warehouse from \$25,000 to \$50,000.

Independence, Neodesha & Topeka Traction company, authorized to reduce number of directors from seven to five, by C. J. Bryant, attorney.

Home State bank of Newton, decrease number of directors from eleven to eight. Pleasant Grove church of Fredonia, 12,000, by J. S. Maxwell, Fredonia; E. B. Blackburn, New Albany; J. W. Parson, Fredonia; R. S. Miller, New Albany; F. E. Vining, New Albany; F.

thon company, authorized to reduce number of directors from seven to five, by C.

J. Bryant, attorney.

Home State bank of Newton, decrease number of directors from eieven to eight. Pleasant Grove church of Fredonia, \$12,000 by J. S. Maxwell, Fredonia; E. B. Blackburn, New Albany; J. W. Parson, Fredonia; R. S. Miller, New Albany; F. E. Vining, New Albany; Standard Land company, a foreign corporation of Omaha. Neb., \$100,000, by Ralph R. Langley, Kansas City, Mo.; M. F. Langley, Lincoln, Neb., and L. E. Pegan, Kansas City, Mo. lola, Kan., \$100.000, by Charles H. Apple, Cusil Lechtman, H. A. Gornsch, Henry McGrew, Kansas City, Mo.; Fred Meyers, Moberly, Mo.; A. L. Cooper, Herman J. Dunker, Lewis Ohlamin, Kansas City, Mo.; Frank L. Travis, of Iola.

The German Roman Catholic Sacred Heart Benevolent society, Colwich, no capital stock, by Herman Koste, Richard Kennedy and John A. Suellentrop, of Colwich.

The Horton Hospital association, \$5,000, pointment because of her relationship. wich.

The Horton Hospital association, \$5,000, by L. Reynolds, Ora G. Reynolds, H. J. Hosker, J. O. Ward, A. B. Crockett, of Horton.

Citizens' State bank of Sabatha, Increase.

Telephone Fails Cupid.

Atchison, Kan., July 25.—Because she said her parents wanted her to marry a man with lots of money and scolded her because she persisted in going with a boy who possessed little means, Grace Hoskins, the daughter of Frank Hoskins, a wealthy Nemaha county farmer, ran away from home and came to Atchison. Edward Lini-han, lover of the girl, came on the same train from Central Iowa. Each

is 17 years old.

But the telephone spoiled the marriage plans of the eloping pair. They were met by the sheriff here and de-tained until the Nemaha county sher-

# Last-of-the-Week "Specials

For Bargain Week Shoppers, Taken From Our July Clearance Offerings

Ladies' \$2.50 Linen Coats \$1.29 About two dozen left-just the thing for

Auto or Street wear. At this price you can't afford to be without one. Regularly sold at \$2.50. Now .....\$1.29

25c and 35c Wash Goods 10c These come in Batistes, Organdies, Flaxons,

etc., and never sold for less than 25c. Buy 

\$2.50 Wash Silk Waists \$1.48

Closed out from a manufacturer at 50c on the dollar. Made of fine quality Habutai Striped Silk. Fit is perfect. Come in Blue, Gray and Lavender Stripes. Never sold for less than \$2.50. As long as 5 dozen lasts the price will be .....\$1.48

\$2.50 Princess Slips \$1.48

Made of good quality Nainsook; heavy embroidery flouncings-yokings to match. Three in one, at the very low price of . . \$1.48

Up to \$6 Summer Dresses \$2.95 These Dresses have sold all season at \$5.00 and \$6.00; to close the lot quickly you can have your choice of 30 different styles. \$2.95

Ladies' 25c Hose 19c

These are run of the mill in a high grade Mercerized Black Lisle; 60 dozen just received. One of the best Hose values ever offered in Topeka. A high-grade 25c Hose

## \$1.50 Muslin Petticoats 98c

A big shipment just received. Made of good quality muslin-some have 18-inch embroidery flouncings with dust ruffle. Worth reg-

Ladies' \$1.00 16-Button Silk Gloves today and Saturday special. Come in white and Ladies' \$1.50 16-Button Silk Gloves 98¢. These come in white, black and colors, very heavy quality silk. To close .........98¢

#### Red Hot Bargains

Ladies' \$1.00 Silk Hose, colors blue, lavender,

pink
Ladies' \$1.50 Balkan Blouses 98¢
Ladies' 10c Gauze Vests
Ladies' 15c Gauze Vests10¢
Ladies' 25c Gauze Vests
Ladies' \$1.50 Shirt Waists
Ladies' 25c Union Suits will be19¢
Ladies' 35c Union Suits will be25¢
Ladies' 50c Union Suits will be35¢
Men's 75c Mesh Union Suits39¢
Men's \$1.00 Porosknit Union Suits 75¢
Men's 95c Soft Collar Shirts 50¢
Men's \$1.50 Dress Shirts

Harter Mercantile Co

# THE GANGSTERS

OR SHADOWS OF THE NIGHT

10c

Today

Novelty Theatre

Novelty Theatre

Tomorrow

A WONDERFUL DETECTIVE PHOTO-PLAY

The chase in autos, railroads, elevators and the wonderful race between an airship and steamer in midocean, the most thrilling spectacle ever

E. B. MCCORMICK RESIGNS.

Dean in Engineering at Manhattan A'Hearn Will Remain.

WILSON'S COUSIN LOSES.

L. A. Walker Gets Parsons Postoffice Instead of Miss Rearick.

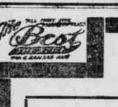
Parsons, Kan., July 25.—Among the unsuccessful applicants for the position of postmaster here, to which place Mr. L. A. Walker has just been appointed, was Miss Lydia S. Rearick, who is a cousin of President Wilson. Miss Rearick was said to have received encouraging letters from Mrs.

Professor "Mike" A'Hearn, who was offered a high salaried position with the University of Maine recently, will remain with the Kansas school, but at a salary of \$600 less than the Maine school offered him. The board promoted him to the position of associate professor of horticulture.

#### MILITIA WILL HIKE.

Program for Next Week Will Be

Junction City, Kan., July 25 .- While no definite orders have been issued, semi-official reports at the Kansas National Guard camp at Fort Riley National Guard camp at Fort Riley are to the effect that there will be a heavy march for the entire com-mand on Monday. Whether this will be incorporated in a maneuver, or whether it will simply be a march were met by the sheriff here and de-tained until the Nemaha county sher-iff and their parents came to take Until that time the program will consist of routine drills and duties.



Today-Tomorrow A Great Mutiple Reel Broncho Headliner



From The Shadows

-TWO REELS-

A great desert scene, showing a terrible drought which is killing the cattle and driving the Indians to desperation through hunger. The uprising of the redskins and the sensational struggles for life by the immigrants. Thrilling rescue of the settlement by the troops, who drive off the Indians after a hard fought battle. Scenes of melting pathos as the orphaned baby, saved from the maelstrom of of death in which its parents perished, is placed in the arms of the delirious wife of the colonel, whose brooding over her own dead child threatens her reason and her life.

A superbly acted drama, showing how the reason of a mother, mourning the death of her child, was saved by the gentle touch of baby fingers, itself brought from the valley of the shadow of death.

5c



# and Buttermilk Bread

You can face three times a day every day in the year because it's always good, never crusty or sour. It is the kind that agrees with you every time. In fact, it's (bread)

The Place that Feeds the People.

Avalon Bakery

831 Kansas Ave.

FREE Don't Miss Them FREE "They're a Scream" TONIGHT and SATURDAY Last Days GARFIELD PARK

the knockabout acrobatic comedians, the ROSARDO DUO

Afternoon at 4:30 Iron Jaw Act

Evening at 8:30 Trick House Act

Today

HOME OF PICTORIAL VAUDEVILLE The Cozy Theatre TIB KANSAS AVENUE

Tomorrow

A Great Kay-Bee Moral Drama The Failure of-

Success-

With gold beyond his wildest dreams, despised by his fellow men, scored by the women whose lives he had nearly wrecked, and with his own child turning away from his proffered embrace in horror, Jabez Crow looked back over the path he had trod and saw the specters of his mis spent life. Obsessed with regret and remorse, he destroyed himself, leaving a will in which he endeavored to make reparation for the wrongs he had 5c committed,

Use Journal Want Ads for Results